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1. HONDURAS 2. CNTRY CODE: 215 3. SER. NO.: NA
4. COLUMBUS LATINOAMERICANA DE CONSTRUCCIONES, S.A.
(REQUESTED AS: COLUMBUS LATINO AMERICANO DE CONSTRUCCION)
5. APARTADO POSTAL 92-C; COLONIA PALMIRA 3 CALLE Y 3 AVE.
6. TEGUCIGALPA, D.C., HONDURAS
7. ESTABL: 1954 8. EMPL: 1,225 9SIZE: (19-X) LARGE
10. REPUTATION: (22-X) EXCELLENT
11. SELLS ITS SERVICES IN THE FOLLOWING FOREIGN AREAS
LLISTED IN ORDER OF IMPORTANCE: PANAMA, GUATEMALA,
HONDURAS AND NICARAGUA.
12. RPT. DATE: 05/77
13A. 16110/789 ENGR, DESIGN AND CONST OF HIGHWAYS, AIR
AND MARITIME PORTS, RAILROADS, ELECTRIC GENERATING
PLANTS, URBAN WATER SYSTEMS, AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS.
14. CONTACT: MARIO CHIOVATERO TITLE: MANAGER
15. CABLE: COLUMBUS TEGUCIGALPA 16. TELEX: 1139HT
COLUMBUS TG 17M TELEPHONE: 221825, 223516
18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANK OF AMERICA N.T. & S.A., 2 CALLE
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7 AVE., TEGUCIGALPA.
19. TRADE REFS: CATERPILLAR TRACTOR CO., 100 N.E. ADAMS,
PEORIA, ILL. 61629; INGERSOLL-RAND, WOODCLIFF LAKE,
N.J. 07675.
20. NONE REPRESENTED.
21. THIS FIRM IS ONE OF THE LEADING CONSTRUCTION AND
ENGINEERING COMPANIES WHICH OPERATES IN HONDURAS.

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IT WAS INITIALLY FORMED IN PANAMA IN 1954 AND BEGAN ITS OPERATIONS IN HONDURAS IN 1960. COLUMBUS PERFORMS ITS SERVICES PRINCIPALLY FOR GOVERNMENT CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IN THE COUNTRY. ITS BASIC CAPITAL FOR THE HONDURAS OPERATION IS TWO MILLION DOLLARS; 1976 SALES REACHED FIFTEEN NILLION DOLLARS. COLUMBUS OPERATES A BRANCH IN SAN PEDRO SULA IN NORTHERN HONDURAS. THE FIRM'S MAJOR STOCKHOLDERS ARE DRS. RICARDO ALEJANDRO DURLING AND RODOLFO RAMON CHIARI COREA, BOTH PANAMANIANS. ITS FINANCES ARE SOUND AND OBLIGATIONS ARE MET PROMPTLY. THE POST CONSIDERS THE SUBJECT AN EXCELLENT TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.
22. PREPARED BY: H. CASTILLO APPROVED BY: M. KROMHOUT BECKER

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